Welcome to Charlottesville! We hope you will enjoy the spring meeting of MARAC and the area in and around Charlottesville. A few words to help make your stay a little more enjoyable. On Saturday afternoon there will be a tour of the University of Virginia grounds and the Manuscripts and Rare Books Departments. A bus will leave the Ramada Inn at 3:30 and return at 5:00. Since it is Garden Week it is possible some of the Pavilion gardens will still be open for inspection. Should you wish to go, please sign up at the Registration Desk.

If you wish to visit Monticello, to avoid the crush of tourists it would be best to go before 10:00 A.M. and right at 4:00 P.M. They do not allow entry after 4:00 since they close at 5:00, but late in the afternoon there are fewer people trying to go through the house.

Those who are planning to check out Saturday please be advised that you must be out of your room by 1:00 P.M. The Ramada Inn will be glad to store your bags at the desk until you are ready to leave if necessary. Also please arrange for transportation to the airport, train or bus stations as soon as possible so the Ramada Inn can schedule their car.

Be sure to visit the exhibits of the Dataflow Corporation, Barrow Restoration Shop and the Pohlig Box Company. A special thanks is due The Microfilming Corporation of America for sponsoring the light breakfast of rolls and coffee on Saturday morning and the Hollinger Corporation for sponsoring the Wine and Cheese Party to be held Friday evening.

I certainly hope you enjoy your stay and if there is anything we can do to help you, stop by the Registration Desk or look for those of us with "Local Arrangements" on our name tags.

Beth Wray

Local Arrangements Chairman

## MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL ARCHIVES CONFERENCE SPRING MEETING

## Charlottesville, Virginia, 26-27 April 1974 Ramada Inn, Route 29 North

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, 26 April:	
9:00-5:00	Registration, Information, Exhibits
10:00-11:00	Panel, Introductory Sessions
11:15-12:00	Discussion, Introductory Sessions
12:30-1:45	Luncheon, Program: Restoring Jefferson's Rotunda
2:15~3:15	Afternoon, Introductory Sessions
3:30-4:30	Problems & Opportunities, Introductory Sessions
4:30-6:30	Social Hour
8:00-	Business Meeting
Saturday, 27 Apri	. <u>1:</u> -
8:30-3:30	Registration, Information, Exhibits
9:00-10:00	Panel, Introductory Sessions
10:15-11:15	Discussion, Introductory Sessions
11:15-11:45	Informal Break: Paper Conservation Demonstration, State caucuses, filibusters, etc.
11:45-12:45	Luncheon
1:00-2:00	Afternoon, Introductory Sessions
2:15-3:15	Problems & Opportunities, Introductory Sessions
3:30-5:00	Walking tour of University Library, Grounds. Buses leave from Ramada Inn at 3:30; return at

#### Unscheduled Events:

5:00.

Information on Monticello, Ash Lawn, Court Square, the Dogwood Festival, Historic Garden Week and other local attractions is included in your registration packet. A registration exhibit area bulletin board will be available for spot announcements of improvised activities.

12:30- 1:45	Luncheon Program: Restoring Mr. Jéfferson's Rotunda Frederick D. Nichols, University of Virginia				
1.43	Safeguarding Museum Objects & Manuscripts	Diplomacy in Building Collections	Cleaning of Prints, Drawings, Manuscripts on Paper	Reporting Collections to NUCMC	
2:15- 3:15	Les Jensen, Museum of Confederacy	James A. Bear, Jr. Monticello	Elena Borowski, Smithsonian	Arline Custer, Library of Congress	
`				Introductory Session	
	Albemarle Room	Essex Room D	Melton Room	Essex Room A	
	Insuring Collections	Archiving Virginia Folklore	Whither MARAC?	Making an Exhibit	
3:30- 4:30	Vesta Lee Gordon, University of Virginia Tom Sweet, Insurance Corporation of America	Charles L. Perdue, University of Virginia J. Roderick Moore Blue Ridge Institute	Michael F. Plunkett, University of Virginia Elsie Freivogel, National Archives Record Service	Bruce M. King, Valentine Museum	
				Introductory Session	
	Suite*	Essex Room D	Essex Room C	Essex Room A	

<sup>\*</sup>Check Bulletin Board for Suite Numbers.

## SCHEDULE OF SESSIONS MORNING OF FRIDAY, APRIL 26

	Historic Preservation and Archives	Funding of Archival Programs  Panel Discussion		Basic Cataloging and Finding Aids for Manuscripts
10:00-	Panel Discussion  Junius R. Fishburne, Virginia Landmarks Comm.  &  Brigid Rapp, Tony P. Wrenn, Patricia E. Williams, National Trust for Historic Preservation	Louis H. Manarin, Virginia State Library, Kenneth L. Richards, N.J. State Library, Royster Lyle, Jr., Marshall Research Foundation  & Craig Newton, Columbia County Historical Society		Introductory Session  Donald Sinclair, Rutgers University
	Albemarle_Room	Essex Roo		Essex Room A
	How Preservationists Can Help Archives	Obtaining Public Funding	Obtaining Private Funding	Basic Cataloging and Finding Aids for Archives
11:15	Group Discussion	Group Discussion	Group Discussion	Introductory Session
	Fishburne & Williams	Manarin & Richards	Lyle & Newton	Sinclair
		226		
	Albemarle Room	Suite *	Suite * 228	Essex Room A

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# Schedule of Sessions Morning of Saturday, April 27

	The Use of Archives By The Historical and Documentary Editor	Philosophy and Role Is There a Common Bond for Archivists?		Basic Paper Conservation
00-	Panel Discussion  Leonard Rapport, NARS,  Donald Jackson, Papers  of George Washington,	Diane Frese, Maryland Hall of Records		Introductory Session  Fritz A. Malval,
	Linda DePauw, Papers of Continental Congress	Meyer Fishl	Hampton Institute	
	Albemarle Room	Essex Roo	Essex Room A	
	How Editors Can Help Archives	Ethics and Standards	Workplace Situations	Basic Reference Collections
15 <b>-</b> 15	Group Discussion	Group Discussion	Group Discussion	Introductory Session
	Rapport, Jackson, & DePauw	Finnegan	Frese	Anita L. Nolen, Library of Congress
	Albemarle Room	Suite *	Suite *	Essex Room A

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### AFTERNOON OF SATURDAY, APRIL 27

11:45- 12:45	Luncheon			
	Publication Techniques For Archives	Recruitment, Selection Training	New Paper Conservation Techniques	Problems & Realities of Smaller Archives
1:00-2:00	Patricia Hickin, Richmond, Virginia	Ron Becker, New Jersey Historical Society Eldon Jones, Ford Foundation	John Field, Barrow Restoration Shop	Introductory Session  Grace Showalter, Eastern Mennonite College
	Essex Room C	Essex Room D	Suite *	Essex Room A
	Use of Manuscripts In Undergraduate Teaching	Opportunities for Individual Archivists	Whither MARAC Publications?	Appraisal & Disposition of Records
2:15- 3:15	Martha Slotten, Dickinson College	Becker & Jones	Donald F. Harrison, National Archives Record Service	Introductory Session
	Essex Room C	Essex Room D	Suite *	Essex Room A

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#### Diner's Guide

Charlottesville is basically a college town and thus its eating establishments are geared to meet student budgets and tastes (neither very remarkable). This guide covers some of the more distinctive restaurants, but by driving or walking up Emmet Street (29 North) towards the University one can find nearly every fast food chain in existence with every type of food imaginable. All of these are inexpensive and well marked. You should be able to find a place to eat to suit your needs and budget.

- \$ Inexpensive (\$5 and under)
- \$\$ Moderate (\$5-\$10)
- \$\$\$ Expensive (Over \$10)
  - \* Fair
  - \*\* Good
- \*\*\* Recommended
- ABERDEEN BARN Good steak house, features several cuts of steak, prime rib and lobster. Cocktails. Route 29N and Holiday Drive. 296-4630 \$\$\$\$
- BARNABY'S Self-service pizza house with sandwiches and beer.

  Very informal with the best pizza's in town. Great
  for the kids. Route 29N at Greenbrier Drive. 973-4575

  \$ \*\*\*
- BOAR'S HEAD INN Excellent (by Charlottesville standards).

  Continental and American cuisine with lots of Olde
  English atmosphere. Cocktails. Coat and tie
  required, reservations recommended. Route 250W
  296-2181
  \$\$\$\$
- DUTCH PANTRY RESTAURANT Fairly good food at reasonable prices.

  Service spotty. Route 29N at 250 By-Pass. 296-1922

  \$ \*\*
- EXPRESSO ITALIAN RESTAURANT Best offering of Italian food in Charlottesville. Informal. West Main (just north of the University). 973-0338 \$\$\\$\*\*\*
- FIJI ISLAND RESTAURANT Chinese and Polynesian foods. Service tends to be slow, but lots of atmosphere. Informal. Cocktails. 105 Emmet Street (at Downtowner Inn).

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- GASLIGHT FOUNTAIN RESTAURANT Continental cuisine, usually very good food and service. Cocktails. Coat and tie and reservations recommended. Barracks Road Shopping Center. 296-1249 \$\$ \*\*\*

- GUS' STEAK HOUSE Specializes in steaks, seafood and lobster.

  Prime rib on Saturday and Sunday. Generally good
  food and service, but it tends to get sloppy on very
  busy nights. Cocktails. Coat and tie not necessary,
  but reservations recommended. Route 250W. 293-6377
  \$\$\$ \*\*
- HOLLYMEAD INN Good, with a quiet atmosphere. Limited entrees and vegetables of the day. Coat and tie recommended. Cocktails. Route 29N \$\$ \*\*
- THE IVY INN American cuisine in intimate setting of old house.

  Good food and service. Coat and tie and reservations absolutely necessary. Cocktails. 2244 Old Ivy Road. 977-1222 \$\$\$\$
- JAPANESE STEAK HOUSE A fun place to eat with lots of atmosphere.

  Kimono clad girls cook the food at your table; however,

  the food tends to be mediocre and expensive. Cocktails.

  Informal. Four Seasons Drive. 973-8080 \$\$\$ \*
- KEN JOHNSON CAFETERIA Typical cafeteria style and food, but cheap and fairly quick. Stops serving at 8:00 P.M.

  Barracks Road Shopping Center. 293-9324 \$ \*\*
- LIBRARY RESTAURANT A very nice spot, American food, both sandwiches and full meals. Service tends to be slow, but generally worth it. Informal, cocktails. 132

  Emmet Street. 295-7144 \$ \*\*\*
- REFUGEE'S SCHNITZELHOUSE RESTAURANT Excellent German food with great atmosphere and an extensive selection of Rhine wines. Informal, but reservations recommended. cocktails. 2208 Fontaine Avenue. 293-7185 \$\$ \*\*
- PRIME RIB New steak house menu and typical atmosphere. Coat and tie not required, but recommended. Cocktails. Route 29N. 296-4533 \$\$\$\$ \*\*
- THAT STEAK PLACE Typical steak house with seafood. Steaks are good but expensive. Syrupy service with overly friendly service. Informal. Cocktails. Route 29N. 293-7997 \$\$\$\$\$
- VILLA CAPRI Italian fare with steaks and lobster. Tends to be mediocre and expensive for what you get. Informal, cocktails. Route 29N at Holiday Drive. 977-1101 \$\$ \*\*